

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION**

*In re National Prescription Opiate Litigation*

Case No. 17-md-2804

This Document Relates To: "Track Nine"

Judge Dan Aaron Polster

**Stipulated Order Entering Stay and Modifying Track 9 Deadlines**

By stipulation of plaintiff Tarrant County, Texas ("Plaintiff"), and defendants Albertsons, CVS, Kroger, Walgreens, and Walmart<sup>1</sup> this action is hereby stayed until February 10, 2023. Upon expiration of the stay, the parties will confer and submit proposed modifications to the Track 9 discovery and other deadlines set forth in the Court's September 2, 2022, Order Granting Joint Motion to Modify Case Management Orders for Tracks Eight, Nine, Ten, and Eleven, tracking the schedule in existence prior to the stay to the greatest extent possible, and will seek the Court's approval of a modified schedule. Kroger agrees not to assert this stipulated stay of Track 9 as a reason to stay Track 7. This stipulation applies solely to the deadlines in Track 9.

SO STIPULATED:

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<sup>1</sup> These Defendants are: Albertson Companies, Inc., Albertson's LLC, Safeway, Inc., Randall's Food & Drug LP and United Supermarkets L.L.C. d/b/a The United Family (collectively, "Albertsons"); CVS Indiana L.L.C., CVS Rx Services, Inc., and CVS Pharmacy, Inc. (collectively, "CVS"); The Kroger Co., Kroger Texas LP, Kroger Limited Partnership I and Kroger Limited Partnership II (collectively, "Kroger"); Walgreen Co., Walgreens Boots Alliance, Inc., and Walgreen Eastern Co., Inc., (collectively, "Walgreens"); and Walmart Inc., Wal-Mart Stores East, LP, Wal-Mart Stores East, LLC, Wal-Mart Stores Texas, LLC, WSE Management, LLC, WSE Investment LLC, Sam's East, Inc., and Sam's West, Inc. (collectively, "Walmart").

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**SO ORDERED**

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**Judge Dan Aaron Polster**

Dated: December \_\_\_, 2022